

# THE EVENING NEWS.

SECOND YEAR—NO. 568.

BENTON HARBOR, MICH., TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1897.

ONE CENT

A LARGE BANKRUPT STOCK OF  
**Fishing . Tackle**  
OF ALL KINDS FOR SALE AT  
**JACKSON'S**  
**TOY STORE**

Water Street, Benton Harbor, Mich.

Remember that I keep all kinds of hunting, fishing and sporting goods and that I will not be undersold by any dealer in southwestern Michigan. Jointed fishing rods, Mississippi cane poles, Japanese bamboos, all lengths, brass and nickel reels, fish hooks, all kinds and all sizes, snell hooks, single and double, casting lines and leaders, bass and trout flies, trolling baits and sinkers, the best linen and silk lines, gaff hooks, trout baskets, fish stringers, fish spears, both new and second hand, gasoline lamps for spearfishing, bait boxes and minnow pails, floats, rod tips and rod mountings, trout lines and fixtures, seine twine, staging and gilling twine, oars and oar locks, base ball bats, Spalding base balls, professional and amateur, base ball mitts, catcher's masks, base ball bats and caps, croquet sets, extra croquet balls and mallets, boxing gloves, iron and maple dumb bells, foot balls, all kinds and sizes, punching bags, hammocks and hammock fixtures, folding camp chairs and cots, Winchester repeating rifles, all sizes, Quackenbush 22 caliber and other target guns. A second hand Parker shot gun at \$23, 1 second hand Marlin rifle at \$7. Sling shots, billies and knuckles, dog chains, collars and muzzles, sling shot rubbers, primers, snipe, geese and duck calls, loaded and unloaded brass and paper shells, smokeless powder, buck and common shot, B. B. shot for air rifles, Latkin & Rand's shot gun and rifle powder, shot gun shells loaded with smokeless powder, reloading tools for rifles and shot guns; bowie knives and knives for hunters, paper and felt wads, water proof, musket and G. D. caps, game bags and belts for hunters, powder flasks and shot pouches, all kinds of new and second hand revolvers, compasses for hunters. I have 22 new and 7 second hand shot guns on hand, shot gun fixtures, cartridge belts and shell bags, and remember that I keep on hand a large wagon load of all kinds of revolver and rifle cartridges, 44 different sizes of rim and center fire and blanks, B. B. caps for target rifles, all sizes of Iver Johnson revolvers at \$4, all sizes of American bulldogs at \$1.50, 1 Smith & Wesson latest pattern 44 size at \$8, a Colt's 45 size at \$6, a Remington 44 size at \$5.

**A large grain sack full of unredeemed WATCHES of all kinds..**

Seventy-five solid gold ring, 6 pieces diamond jewelry at one-half first cost, banjos, guitars, violins and mandolins at one-third first cost. Trading men, look over my watch stock. I can always stock you up with bargains. One Odell typewriter, never was used, for \$8. One latest improved Singer sewing machine for \$15. I have dealt in fishing, hunting and sporting goods for 20 years in Benton Harbor. I buy cheaper than any other dealer and I will not be undersold. Second hand goods bought and sold. Second hand books wanted. The highest market price in gold paid for second hand bicycles. Inspection invited.

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Dealer in Almost Everything.

**Notice of Removal..**

**W. W. CHESLEY** will be found at 110 Pipestone St., under Sherman's Bazar after July 19th. Clothes cleaned and pressed and all kinds of repairing. Also dyeing. Prices low.

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**Cobwebs in Your Throat**



Disappear when you eat the

**"L. & R." Ice Cream**

Nothing half so good for these hot days. All soda fountains, restaurants, ice cream parlors and resorts use it.

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We manufacture any flavor, cater in cream for weddings, socials, societies, granges, and everyone else that wants the finest ice cream in Michigan.

**Deliveries Made to Private Houses by Quart or Gallon...**

**Lowe & Rouse**  
Factory, 101 W. Main..

**NO NEWS OF THEM.**

**The Four County Jail-breakers Still Enjoying Their Freedom.**

**OFFICERS HAVEN'T LOST HOPE.**

**Moore Not Believed to Possess as Much Information as He Pretends to Have.**

At 3 o'clock today Sheriff Ferguson was as much in the dark as to the whereabouts of the four prisoners, who broke the confines of the jail yesterday morning by sawing the bars between them and freedom, as he was when the delivery was discovered. He has not received a scrap of news concerning the renegades.

The report, reaching the sheriff early yesterday, that McDonald had been seen in South Bend has been confirmed. Chief Stuckey was in that city yesterday and had a conversation with the police officer who saw McDonald, and recognized him. When seen by the officer he was hurrying along the street.

It is the theory of the sheriff that McDonald is moying toward Chicago and will turn up at the home of Sam Livingston, his companion in the crime that sent him to jail. Sheriff Ferguson and Deputy Sheriff Earl, while in Chicago yesterday, laid a clever plot for his apprehension and he cannot escape if he concludes to attempt to hide in that city.

McDonald has relatives living in McBride and there is a possibility of his reaching that city and from there crossing over into the Upper Peninsula. He will find thorns in that path, however, and if he has chosen it his chances are slim of reaching friends before the officers get him.

Sheriff Ferguson yesterday succeeded in ferreting out the home of Lewis Ake in Chicago. He has a wife, two brothers and a sister living there, but he cannot return to them without being caught. His relatives' home is being guarded day and night by members of the police force and if he appears he will be nabbed. It is thought that Frank Roby and Otis Bentley will remain together. They are charged with the same crime, were arrested together, occupied the same cell and were fast friends. Bentley's parents live at Hersey. Roby's home is in Rochester, Ind. It is not likely that either of the boys will jeopardize their safety by returning home.

Sheriff Ferguson is disposed to think that every prisoner upstairs in the jail knew what was going on yesterday morning while the men were cutting the steel bars. He says the slightest pressure with a hard instrument against the bars can be detected in the remotest cell, and while the saw was eating its way into the hard steel the noise could not be muffled sufficiently to prevent its reaching the other prisoners. He also believes that the sawing operations were in progress yesterday afternoon.

John Moore, the 60-days convict, who yesterday claimed to know so much about the plan and subsequent escape of the prisoners, has not thrown any additional light on the subject. He yesterday pretended to know by whom the hack saw was delivered to McDonald, the evident leader in the scheme to saw out, but his story lacks the element of candor. Although informed, as he says, of the proposed attempt to break jail Moore insists that he did not know that the plan was being executed yesterday morning. It was at first thought that he might be able to produce valuable evidence in apprehending the abettors who conveyed the saw to McDonald's cell, but hope of such information from him is almost abandoned.

Sheriff Ferguson is sending reward cards to every city within a radius of 100 miles of Chicago. He is hopeful of getting one or more of the men. He argues that as none of them left with any money they will be compelled to travel very slowly, unless they succeed in robbing some unfortunate.

**THE CAR FERRIES.**

**They Are Expected Back Here Thursday.**

The car ferries have not returned from their first trip across the lake and there are many unfounded rumors afloat concerning them. They made a very rapid and successful trip Friday. Agent Smith of the Big Four doesn't know the cause of the delay but he has received word that the ferries will be back Thursday.

The presence of a gang of surveyors has given rise to the rumor that the Big Four is about to build a new dock 900 feet long.

**Removal Notice.**

M. J. Henderson, the bicycle repair man, has removed his shop from West Main street to the building in the rear of Cooley's grocery store, formerly occupied by the Phoenix publishing company. Mr. Henderson's place will remain open for a short time.

**THE WEATHER.**

Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Cooler in northwest portions of the state tonight.

**MR. HAMILTON HERE**

**The Congressman is Explaining Things.**

Congressman Hamilton drifted in the city from Niles this morning and after briefly calling on many of the leading republicans here he took a car for St. Joseph and there drank political hope and ambition from the keenest of all the Berrien county politicians, the Hon. Alonso Vincent.

Mr. Hamilton is not looking as though he had worked himself to death. In fact the labor of voting on tariff schedules and the perplexity of recommending postmasters seems to agree with him.

The congressman failed to call on the gold democrats and thank them for his election, neither did he give former Postmaster Nichols an opportunity to thank him for the heroic work he did in his great struggle to keep Mr. Nichols in the postoffice until next fall. Though his labor in behalf of Mr. Nichols was in vain the congressman would not count it total failure if he had allowed the ex-postmaster to weep with thankfulness on his neck for putting forth the efforts of a Klondike miner in the White Horse rapids to save his (Nichols') official head.

It is understood that the congressman is now instructing the St. Joseph people in the folly of asking that a St. Joseph man be appointed St. Joseph's postmaster. Many who advocated such nonsense are now converted and see the error of their way. The men who have labored for St. Joseph and the republican party for years are selfish and presumptuous to want the postoffice. Give it to the stranger, Mr. Hamilton, give it to the fellows who have no other way to make a living and the chairman of the republican county committee will bless you.

**POLES TORN DOWN.**

**Commissioner Shankland Despises Bell Company's Plans.**

Acting under instruction given him by the city council last night street Commissioner Shankland, accompanied by several laborers, proceeded to Ogden avenue this morning and removed five new telephone poles set yesterday by the Bell company without the permission of anybody in authority. The commissioner dug up the poles, tore down the wires and carted the same to the city lot.

The work was performed without interference from any source. It was anticipated that trouble would ensue, but there were no agents of the Bell company present. This is the first exhibition of a disposition to violate the city laws the Bell company has given. Hitherto when it was desired to extend the lines Manager Badour mentioned the fact to the street commissioner and that officer solicited advice as to where the poles should be placed.

The Bell company began the setting of poles on Ogden avenue yesterday afternoon. Mayor Bell ordered the chief of police and street commissioner to go and stop them. The mayor considered that without a franchise the company had no more right to obstruct the street than did an individual.

When the officers reached the scene five poles were set. It was intended to run a wire to Dewitt's meat market. The men were advised to quit work. They complied, carrying their shovels and picks to Dewitt's barn. Two poles remained to be set. These Commissioner Shankland loaded into a wagon and deposited them in the city lot.

After the officers had retired the Bell men went to work again. They strung their wires across house-tops and succeeded in reaching the Dewitt market without the use of more poles. When the officers made a second visit to the scene of operations the work was completed. It was, however, the work of but a few minutes to undo it this morning.

It is expected that the St. Joseph council tonight will pass the same measures adopted by the Benton Harbor aldermen last night relative to preventing further use of the streets by the Bell company, which likewise has no franchise in that city.

**HIS NAME NOW KNOWN.**

**It Was J. Sherlock Allen Who Cap-sized in St. Joseph.**

The name of the young man who made such a gallant fight to save his sweetheart from drowning in the St. Joseph river Friday when their boat was capsized is J. Sherlock Allen, a member of the Farragut boat club of Chicago. The young lady was Miss Maud Fink of Hotel Renfert, Chicago.

At the time the accident occurred the couple refused to divulge their names, the young man explaining that his Chicago friends would chaff him if they learned that a boat in which he was rowing had capsized.

**Telephone Change at Niles.**

A. M. Taylor, the successful manager of the Gilliland telephone company at Niles, has been transferred to a better position at St. Joseph. He is succeeded by Rodney Vanderbeck.

**Marriage Licenses.**

Fred Bachman, 27, Niles; Katie Wirtz, 23, same.

**Good music and a good time are every where to be had at the "Enterprise" Concert.**

**Special Sale on Saturday**



**Best Quality of Full Cream Cheese, 8c**

**Best Quality of Uncolored Japan Tea, 35c**

**Best Quality of Oolong Tea, - - - 40c**

**Best Quality of Ceylon Tea, - - - 50c**

**All Hammocks at Net Cost.**

**Men's White Unlaundried Shirts, - - - 31c**

**Men's Fine Handkerchiefs, - - - 3c**

**...BABY CARRIAGES MUST GO AT REDUCED PRICES...**

**Sewing Machines \$15.00, warranted 10 years.**

**...TERMS CASH...**

**C. C. SWEET**

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**Our Special Sales every day are public money savers. We have goods and prices to prove it.**

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The balance of our Dimities, Lappett Mulls and Lawns, worth up to 16c a yard, **your choice of the entire lot at 10 1-2c a yd.**

One lot ladies' Jersey ribbed vests sold at 20, 22 and 25c, closing at 12c each. Ladies' extra fine Lisle thread vests or a ribbed all silk vest, choice 30c.

**...GROCERY BARGAINS...**

Spring Wheat Flour, \$4.00 per bbl.

Fine Shredded Cocoanut, 18c lb. Javaness coffee at 15c pkg. Fine ground black pepper, 14c lb. 10 bars Calumet soap for 25c. Colo. Rio Coffee, 2 lbs. for 25c. Bulk Starch, 3c a lb. 5 lbs. Good Rice for 25c. Pound can choice Baking Powder, 8c. Micado Tea Tips, 19c a lb. Crushed Java Coffee at 10c lb.

Armour's family lard, 5c a lb. 8 bars Santa Claus soap for 25c. Best prices paid for butter and eggs.

**The Closing Out Sale**

**..OF..**

**Dry Goods and Millinery**

**IS STILL GOING ON AT**

**..THE ENTERPRISE..**

**The People Wonder How We Can Sell so Cheap**

**You have yourselves to blame if you do not take advantage of this sale and**

**SAVE 50 PER CENT**

**Come Before Stock is Broken**

**..Everything Going at Berry Prices..**

**ENTERPRISE MERCANTILE CO.**

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**We Are at It Yet...**

**Tell Your Folks**

**The Rattan Rocker Sale**

**Continues for One More Week...**



|                           |            |
|---------------------------|------------|
| \$5.00 Rattan Rocker      | for \$2.50 |
| 2.50 Rattan Rocker        | for 1.50   |
| 2.50 Rattan Rocker        | for 1.50   |
| 6.50 Oak Cane Seat Chair, | for 4.50   |
| 3.50 Hammocks             | for 2.00</ |

# WILL CAUSE A SWIMBOOM

Greater than that made by the Celebration of the Fourth...

## The Stock of Summer Goods

We have ready for the opening week of this sale, surpasses anything of the kind ever seen in Berrien County.

## We Offer Many Beautiful and Dainty Fabrics for Summer Wear

At about half what they are really worth.

In Organdies, white and colored; Curtain Mulls and Nettles; Ducks, Dimities and all Wash Dress Goods; 15 dozen Shirt Waists; Summer Underwear; Parasols, Fans and all other Summer Goods at 25 per cent off.

Remember 1-4 Off on All Summer Goods

## ...JAMES POUND

Now is the time to look over your Clothing and if you are in need of a Suit, now is the time to order it. Don't wait until the rush. A dollar saved is a dollar made. You can do that at

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Will leave St. Joseph Daily  
9 a. m., 2 & 4:30 p. m. Will leave Benton Harbor, daily,  
9:15 a. m. For up the Beautiful River St. Joe, stopping at all resorts and Yellow Creek.

**FARE 25c ROUND TRIP.**

This steamer can also be Chartered for Evening Excursions

Music by the "Musical 4" for dancing every Wednesday and Saturday evenings

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The Flour That Made Minneapolis Famous. In the greatest economy in baking. It represents perfect purity and the most sanitary results. Daily output 14,000 barrels. For sale by all grocers.

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Decision Upon Which Hangs a Great Many Other Cases.

### NO INDEMNITY TO GO TO ILLINOIS

For a Big Area of Alleged Swamp Land, Because, the Land Office Says, It Is Not Swamp Land at All—Reasons Upon Which the Decision Is Based—Report of the Public Debt and Other Financial Matters of Interest.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Commissioner Hermann, of the general land office, has decided adversely to the claim of Champaign county, Ills., as grantee of the state in the claim of Illinois for indemnification or repayment of purchase money received by the government from the sale of certain lands between 1850-7 and claimed by the state to have inured to it as swamp lands. This is a long-pending controversy between the federal and state governments, and three different examinations have been made in the field, by various special agents, and in different years payments have been made of other lands likewise involved. The criminal decision is a lengthy recapitulation of the evidence and the law, as this is a test case involving 100 other similar claims now pending here. Commissioner Hermann decides the lands not to have been swamp within the meaning of the grant, for these reasons:

### Why the Lands Are Not Swamp.

First, the evidence as a whole is insufficient to show swampy character; second, the original field notes of survey disprove the state's claim and affirmatively show the lands to be agricultural, not swampy; third, claimant's testimony is defective, having been materially changed, while the knowledge of witnesses is unreliable and mostly from hearsay; fourth, the state has recognized the validity and regularity of the government sales of these lands when it accepted the 5 per centum allowance given by law on sales of public lands; fifth, the sales were made by the government to individual settlers and citizens of Illinois thirty years before the county agents claimed the lands as swamp, and patents issued independently of the indemnity acts of March 2, 1855, and March 8, 1857; sixth, the claim is suspicious being presented thirty years after the regular claim of the county for swamp land indemnity had been finally adjudicated by the government.

### FIGURES ON THE FINANCES.

Statements of the Public Debt, Currency and Income and Outgo.

Washington, Aug. 3.—The monthly statement of the public debt, issued yesterday, shows that the debt less cash in the treasury at the close of business on July 31, was \$93,446,646, an increase during the month of \$6,790,560, which is accounted for by a corresponding decrease in the cash in the treasury. This decrease is in consequence of exceptionally heavy disbursements. The debt, independent of the cash, was decreased by \$330,610. The debt is recapitulated as follows: Interest bearing debt, \$847,365,320; debt on which interest has increased since maturity \$1,336,340; debt bearing no interest, \$377,761,442; total \$1,226,463,102. The cash is classified as follows: Gold, \$178,044,777; silver, \$52,734,139; paper, \$149,429,392; bonds, disbursing officers' balances, etc., \$18,753,822; total \$867,961,932.

The monthly statement of the government receipts and expenditures for July shows the total receipts to have been \$39,027,364, and the disbursements \$50,100,908, leaving the excess of expenditures over receipts \$11,073,544. This deficit is accounted for by abnormally heavy expenditures incident to the beginning of the new fiscal year. As compared with June the receipts were increased \$2,442,656, and the disbursements, \$27,166,214. During last month the receipts from customs amounted to \$18,966,801, an increase as compared with July, 1896, of about \$5,000,000. The internal revenue during July last yielded \$19,767,531 as compared with \$14,302,532 for July, 1896.

The monthly statement of the comptroller of the currency shows that the total circulation of national bank notes on July 31, 1897, was \$230,758,936, an increase as compared with July 31, 1896, of \$4,916,481, and a decrease as compared with June 30, 1897, of \$597,190. The circulation based on United States bonds was \$206,498,956, an increase for the year of \$395,452 and a decrease for the month of \$181,382.

### DOESN'T ADMIT LIABILITY.

But Congress Pays a German \$3,000 for His Damage Claim.

Washington, Aug. 3.—The treasury department has turned over to the state department for delivery to Christopher Schmidt through the German embassy the sum of \$3,000 as full indemnity to him for injuries sustained in 1892 from a rifle shot fired by United States soldiers. Schmidt was passing along the public highway near Fort Snelling, Minn., while the soldiers were firing over their rifle range and was struck by a stray bullet.

He was a subject of Germany, but when the appropriation was made for his relief congress expressly refused to admit liability in such cases and made the item read: "Relief of a subject of Germany. To pay, out of humane consideration, without reference to the question of liability therefor, to the German government, as full indemnity."

Washington, Aug. 3.—The state department has finally ended another international incident by paying over to Count Vinci, the Italian charge here, the sum of \$6,000 as indemnity for the doing to death by a mob of three Italian subjects. The men were Lorenzo Saladino, Salvatore Areo and Giuseppe Venturella, and they were taken out of jail at Hahnville, La., about a year ago and lynched.

### Digest of the Pension Laws.

Washington, Aug. 3.—A comprehensive digest of official opinions and decisions relating to pensions and bounty lands, prepared under the supervision of the then assistant secretary of the interior, John W. Reynolds, has just been issued. It contains leading decisions on the subject, extracted from the organization of pension laws.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Donald MacCullag, of Nebraska, has been forced out of his office as chief clerk of the agricultural department, although his office was protected by the civil-service commission. The way Secretary Wilson accomplished this was simply by giving all of MacCullag's work to another. Idleness soon tired MacCullag and he resigned.

### STUDIED ATTEMPT TO DECEIVE.

Professor Elliott Calls the Foreign Dispatches About the Seal Conference.

Cleveland, Aug. 3.—Professor Henry W. Elliott has written a scathing letter to The Plain Dealer regarding Lord Salisbury's seal conference, supplementing one a few days ago to Assistant Secretary of State Day. He says: "In the foreign dispatches Sunday morning there appears an entirely misleading account of the fur seal conference which Lord Salisbury has finally, at the urgent personal appeal of John Hay, authorized. I protest against this studied attempt to deceive the people as to the scope and extent of that conference, and the inference which may be drawn, that it is to be of the slightest gain to the American case."

"In the first place, we have had the official and curt refusal of Lord Salisbury to reopen this seal question in any way affecting existing rules and regulations as established by the Paris tribunal in 1893. This refusal was made April 21 last, and not a thing has taken place since which has altered Salisbury's stand. Foster's trip to London only strengthened the British premier's hand. Now, what is the warrant for this erroneous story of what the fur seal conference is to compass at Washington next October?

"Simply this and nothing more: John Hay, to break the force of Foster's humiliating failure to reopen the question and that "shirt sleeve" letter of May 10, begged Salisbury to let the British naturalists who have been studying the seals on our islands since 1891 meet our naturalists at Washington next fall and compare their biological notes as to these animals, all reference to the revision of the existing regulations to be expressly barred from the discussion. Salisbury has permitted this; that is all of it; and it is simply nothing for the American case, and as to an agreement even in biological notes that is very unlikely, judging from the work of Jordan on our side and Thompson on the British last season.

"Calling in Russian and Japanese agents to this informal conference will not have the slightest effect one way or the other on the stand which the British agents may take and have taken. Canada controls this matter absolutely; she has an unusually easy task, as things are now directed on our side; she will again skin Foster as clean as she did at Paris in 1893."

### KLONDYKE RIGHT AT HOME.

**Mine Explorer Finds What He Hopes Is a Bonanza in Michigan.**

Marquette, Mich., Aug. 3.—If things turn out as intended parties here hope that Marquette may have a Klondyke right at home. This spring a mine explorer named James Wilkinson located a lead half a mile southwest of Mount Menard. He has obtained an option on the pieces of property which it crosses, and efforts are now being made to form a company to work the find. The lead is forty feet wide where it comes to the surface, and continues for a long distance.

It is near the old Julien Case property—about a quarter of a mile from it—and Wilkinson thinks that what he has discovered is the main lead, of which the lead on the Case land was a branch. Assay tests have been made of the rock taken right off the surface of the Wilkinson lead. These show that it runs \$10.38 to the ton in gold, with silver and copper showing.

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**GEO. M. BELL, M. D. DISEASES OF CHILDREN A Specialty. Office over Bell's drug store. Hours 1 to 8 p. m. each day except Wednesday. Residence, 115 Pipetone and British avenue.**

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BENTON HARBOR, MICH., TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1897.

ONE CENT.

## ANOTHER HARD BLOW

It is Delivered the Bell Telephone Company by the City Council.

## POLES ARE ORDERED REMOVED

Council Passes a Sidewalk Ordinance Requiring the Use of Stone or Cement.

The city council dragged its session out to the midnight hour again last night. It was not the great amount of business that made the meeting long, stupid and tiresome, but a notoriously weak exhibition of parliamentary ability. A sidewalk ordinance, requiring the use of stone or cement in the reconstruction of walks in the business district and important residence localities of the city, was passed and a deserving blow was dealt the Bell telephone company which persists in planting its poles in the streets without authority. Six poles were ordered cut down and the disconnected wires in buildings removed.

The sidewalk ordinance passed is the same one that was up before the councilmen a week ago and was knocked out by Alderman McDonald. McDonald opposed its passage last night, but a full attendance of the aldermen were present and his dissenting vote carried less power with it than at the previous meeting. The ordinance was considered by sections by the council in a committee of the whole. No amendments of importance were made and as passed it prescribes the use of stone or cement exclusively in the reconstruction of walks on both sides of Pipestone street, from Main to Britain avenue, both sides of Main from Seventh to Fourth, west side of Water from Main to Fifth, north side of Territorial from Water to Winans, south side of Territorial from Water to First, both sides of Brunson avenue from Bluff to end of avenue, both sides of Bellevue from Pipestone to Arch, both sides of Broadway from Bellevue to Britain avenue, both sides of Pleasant from Pipestone to Bellevue, and High street to Ross both sides.

The council may instruct the street commissioner to rebuild dangerous walks in cases where the owner of the abutting property refuses and assess the expense against the property with a penalty of 10 per cent added. The ordinance is considered a capital measure, one that will bring relief to hundreds of citizens and protect the city against the possibility of damage suits for injuries, at present so liable to occur, from defective walks.

The Bell telephone company was set down on by the council last night. The company planted five poles on Ogden avenue yesterday and made a connection with a phone in Dewitt's meat market. This work was done without permission of the council. The Bell people have no franchise entitling them to the use of the streets and their action yesterday was construed as trespassing. Mayor Bell advised the council that he had instructed the street commissioner and chief of police to stop the progress of the pole-setting, and acting under such instruction the gang of men employed in sinking holes for the Bell poles were served with notices by these officers to desist. As soon as the officers left they resumed work, setting five poles and stringing wire to Dewitt's market. The mayor wanted to know what action the council was disposed to take.

The aldermen were all excited over the illegal proceeding of the Bell company and fiercely denounced its attitude. A resolution that the street commissioner proceed at once to remove the five poles set without authority was introduced by Alderman Volheim and was passed with fierce energy. Alderman McDonald recited the probable danger from fire by reason of the many disconnected wires which electricians declared would conduct electric current into buildings with disastrous results. He insisted that all disconnected wires in buildings where the phones had been removed should be torn out and a resolution covering this matter and assigning the job of taking the wires down to the fire warden went through the council with a whoop.

A bill of \$4.50, presented by C. Drupsteen against the city for fish condemned by Health Officer Tutton when the family was afflicted with diphtheria, was disallowed.

Chief of Police Sterns reported 47 arrests during the month of July and fines as follows in the hands of the justices of the peace: A. P. Cady, \$16.50; F. P. Graves, \$11; and Justice Kimball, \$1.

Street Commissioner Shankland re-

ported the expenditure of \$193.57 on the streets during the month of July.

A balance of \$5,968.57 was reported in the treasury at the end of the month of July by City Treasurer Brown. The council authorized the treasurer to negotiate a loan of \$1,000 to replenish the funds now exhausted.

A resolution to reconsider the action by which the \$6,500 claim of Lydia Kitron was disallowed at a previous meeting was adopted and the appointment of Charles N. Sears to assist in defending the city in case of prosecution was also reconsidered. It is suspected that the council is contemplating a settlement with the claimant.

A resolution that the street commissioner be instructed to fill in Third street between Highland avenue and Territorial, introduced by Alderman McDonald, was lost. The alderman insists that something must be done to relieve the community of the annoyance and inconvenience suffered from the obnoxious odors arising from the stagnant pools now occupying the site of the street. The street committee was instructed to report at the next council meeting in a petition for the filling in of the street referred to that committee months ago.

An ordinance relative to the care of combustible material, presented by Alderman McDonald, was tabled on account of the approaching midnight hour.

A resolution for the opening and widening of Harrison street from Broadway to Colfax avenue introduced by Alderman Sam Brown, was referred to the street committee.

## ABOUT THE COUNTY.

### Watervliet.

WATERVLIET, August 3.—The barn of H. B. Bradt was burned to the ground Saturday night, with his wheat, oats and corn, which was for his winter's use. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is thought to be incendiary.

The little daughter of George Thompson fell into the mill-pond Saturday night, while out walking with her father. By the presence of mind of her father she was quickly drawn out, none the worse.

Steve Kemp has moved into his new house.

C. F. Sternamen has moved into the E. I. Hennessey house on Pleasant street.

Miss Lillie Edson is on the sick list. The band boys have come out with new caps and lamps which are very

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heat in appearance. They play at Paw Paw lake every Sunday.

Several took in the excursion to St. Joseph Sunday.

Several have gone to Crystal Springs to attend the M. E. camp meeting.

George Johnson of Boyne Falls, is visiting friends and relatives at this place.

James Troxel of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with his parents at this place.

### West Sodus.

WEST SODUS, Aug. 3.—The showers Sunday morning greatly revived the growing crops and refreshed the spirits of the people.

James Firk, the meat man of Sodus, in turning around at J. B. Harmon's, broke the reach of his wagon that let him fall and hurt him somewhat.

Miss Nora Humphrey is suffering from a cold abscess under her chin which has gathered and broke.

Mr. Day and son of Chicago were here over Sunday with Mrs. Day, who is boarding with Mrs. K. J. King.

The administrator of Mrs. Stauffer's estate was here Saturday appraising the property.

William Crosby's mother of Waukegan, Ill., came Saturday night by boat from Chicago.

William F. Price and wife of Benton Harbor are going to move out this week and go into partnership with Mrs. K. J. King keeping Chicago boarders.

## BICKNELL ON ENGLAND

Ex-Pastor of the Christian Church Writes a Letter About the Queen's Realm.

## GLAD HE IS AN AMERICAN

And He Hopes Some Day to Return to America to Take Up Residence.

Mrs. Fannie Christopher of this city has just received a letter from Rev. J. H. Bicknell of Liverpool, who was formerly pastor of the Christian church of this city and left for England last spring.

The letter was written July 23 and states that the Sunday before Mrs. Bicknell arrived from America, having had a stormy voyage of eight days. She was one of the three passengers out of 1200 who was not seasick. They have not yet gone to housekeeping as Mr. Bicknell wants his wife to rest and become accustomed to English ways. The letter says:

"This is a fine country for summer. It is neither too hot or too cold. As a rule the mercury stands somewhere from 60 to 70 degrees and sometimes cooler still. \* \* \*

"On Jubilee day, instead of going to London and to keep out of the great crowd, I went to West Kirby where I spent the afternoon watching the tide come in and go out in the famous river Dee. Well, now, I am spending all the time talking of England. Notwithstanding all I have said, I do not forget that I am an American, and as yet I have no reason to regret it. I do not forget that that, not this, is my home, and we look forward to the time when we shall again be in the land of the free. The caste system with all its attendant evils is in force in this country, and to an American who is a lover of freedom and equality it is most detestable. The educational system is also faulty here. Even in the public schools every child must bring its dues every week. There are no public high schools, and as for universities they are beyond the reach of any poor boy or girl."

## A BAD OUTLOOK.

J. Whitten, a Bridgeman Farmer, is Disgusted With Fruit Raisins.

One of the finest fruit farms to be found in this section is that owned by J. Whitten in the village of Bridgeman. Mr. Whitten has devoted the greater part of his life to his farm, it has been the pride of his life and now in his old age he is about to transform his little "Garden of Eden" into anything that will make instead of loose money.

He lost money on the strawberry crop, did the same with currants and raspberries and has now turned off all of his blackberry pickers as he loses money on every case leaving his farm.

The blackberry vines yesterday were loaded with luscious ripe fruit the greater part of which will rot on the vines. He has dug up all of his currant bushes and had the satisfaction of building a big bonfire and seeing them burn.

Unless peaches and pears turn out better than the rest of the fruit Mr. Whitten will consider fruit raising anything but money making business.

## LOTS OF FUN UP NORTH.

Our Lively Suburb Revels in Amusements.

COLOMA, August 3.—Rettig's Hippodrome, a horse and dog aggregation of considerable merit, was a popular attraction at the race track two days of last week. In spite of the cry of hard times it was well patronized.

A traveling musical company offered entertainment at the local opera house all last week, and they too, were well patronized. The musical features of each evening's program were excellent.

On Wednesday of this week the Sunday school days of the township will have a big picnic at the terminus of the local railroad. A long program is announced, and it will be listened to by the old folks probably, while the younger element make a lively scramble for bathing suits.

Resorters by the thousand come to us every week now, and the rush will continue all this month. Every residence around the lake is more than full, and the boarding houses are not advertising much room to spare.

### Advertised Letters.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in this office for the week ending August 3, 1897:

Armstrong, Mrs. L. Mosier, A.  
Anderson, Mrs. Sarah Perseni, A. L.  
Clark, C. F. 2 Phillips, Miss Minnie  
Corlett, John Paul, Mr. Fred  
Clayton, Mr. S. B. Park, Mrs. Rose  
Clyatt, Mr. Thomas Pavone, No. 172  
Gardner, John E. Butter, Miss Jessie  
Good, Eddie Butter, Mr. Robert  
Gleaser, Geo. H. Stinson, Miss Letitia  
Gillerschank, Mr. Joseph Stone, Miss J. M.  
Hibbitt, Mr. Bert Schellinger, Mr. N. C.  
Hilliard, Miss Lizzie Thomas, Miss Lizzie  
H. E. Teller, Mr. John  
Hudson, Mrs. Rose Unley, Miss Eddie  
Hunt, Geo. W. Whitney, Miss Lina  
Kolot, Mr. Clarence Whitney, Mr. Albert  
Keister, Mr. J. H. Wilcox, L. E.  
Kaisel, Wm. A. Wilson, Miss Ella  
Lamphere, Lincoln A. Whitaker, Mrs. Emma  
McCarthy, John Walworth, Mrs. Sadie  
Mohr, W. W. Wagner, Chas. E.  
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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1897.

The Bell telephone company was forcibly reminded that it does not own the streets of Benton Harbor. That monopoly often gets such foolish notions in its head.

If St. Joseph has no citizen who is capable of running the postoffice in that event Congressman Hamilton will be justified in appointing a Watervliet man to the position.

THERE is a strain of homesickness running through the letter of Rev. J. H. Bicknell published in THE EVENING NEWS today. Though he left the pastorate of one of the weaker Benton Harbor churches to preside over one of the leading Liverpool churches the good man almost wishes himself back. Mr. Bicknell might have expressed himself in the words of the sweet singer of Israel: "I had rather be a door-keeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of wickedness."

PRESIDENT McKinley is making it plain that he is not under the thumb of politicians and the backbone, which was mourned as absent, is showing itself in the chief executive. The recent ruling of the president in extending the civil service has brought him praise from all quarters except the camp of politicians. The dishonest advocates of civil service reform who have preceded McKinley have filled all the offices with members of their own party and then protected them by new laws. McKinley has extended the system at the beginning instead of the end of his term.

It appears that Captain Boswell and Mr. A. J. Knisley studied arithmetics of different patterns. The captain figured that if his boat left St. Joseph at a given time and the Frank Woods left Milwaukee an hour earlier the boats would meet in midlake at 1:40. Mr. Knisley went through a mathematical demonstration and proved that the boats would meet at 1:08, or 32 minutes ahead of the captain's meeting time. If Mr. Knisley is correct—and his figures seem indisputable—then the crew and passengers would have been in heaven just half an hour before the time the mate was instructed to look for the Woods. The captain, however, may explain.

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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## WHAT WE CALL CLAIRVOYANCE POSSIBLE FOR ALL

Editor Stead Announces Through William Stead That Anybody Who Possesses the Gift of the Occult—A Few of the Major Instructions Merely Understood.

William T. Stead, author, journalist, theosophist and general student of all that is odd, now announces that he has received by the means of automatic writing from a very well known spirit the information that every living person has what is called the sixth sense. In other words, we are all mediums, contrary to the general supposition, even among the advanced disciples of spiritualism.

The message or communication is given to the world through Editor Stead, who for the time being is under the guidance of this feminine control, the real author of the statements being known as Julia. Her messages have been coming at intervals for five years and among the students of the occult are regarded as absolutely true. That is why Mr. Stead lays so much importance upon them. It is for this reason he holds that the communication between the inhabitants of the world and those who have passed away can be much more free if only people will have it that way. In the message Julia says:

"What I have to tell you is that all those who really wish to have the sixth sense, or whatever you may choose to term it, so developed that they can at will become sensible of their senses cognizant of the reality of the existence of the beings who encompass them about can acquire the gift or faculty if they will but adapt themselves to the laws of the region into which they wish to penetrate. It is a potentiality of the universal human race. Nor is it only human. Many animals have the open eye. They see when their owners are blind. But you can see if you choose. It rests with yourselves."

"There is no short cut to the sixth sense. There may be something like it in mesmerism and hypnotism, but that is not at all what I mean. What is possible is for every child of man to become what you call normally clairvoyant—that is, for any one to possess himself of the power of seeing and hearing, as plainly as he sees and hears material things, the invisible forms and voices that surround him.

"The power is one that ought to be under control. There will be only harm done if you do not shut at will the clairvoyant eye. Imagine the mischief that would happen if when life and death hung on the absolute concentration of all faculties on the subject immediately before you, if at the supreme moment you were to see the whole phantasmagoria of borderland pass between you and the point of exclusive interest. If you cannot control your sixth sense, you had better not acquire it. It is much better to do without it than to be controlled by it."

"You should have the sense at command when you need it, as you have your microscope or your telescope, but better have neither if you are to be compulsorily doomed at other will than yours to interrupt the work of life by a spectacle of the infinitely little or the infinitely remote. Man should always be master of his senses, especially of the sixth sense, as it is called."

In her further statements to Mr. Stead Julia goes on to say that the investigator must always be simple and not to be constantly thinking of himself. In other words, self consciousness must be avoided, or it will play havoc with the chances of success. All one's mental faculties are needed. Everything must be examined and tested without prejudice and without partiality. Nothing can be achieved without time and patience.

The first thing to be done to see the invisible ones, Julia says, is to be very still and to wait. When quite still and passive, close your eyes and think of the one whom you wish to see. If it is a friend still alive in the body, it will help you if at the same time, although that is not essential, he or she be also passive and alone. When you have two spirits in accord, both seeking the same thing, the difficulties are less, but you must be agreed in heart and soul. If you could keep the concentrated quiet attention for a longer period than five minutes without becoming tired, then you had better do so. At no time, however, force yourself, for a strain means failure.

If in this way, Julia declares, one succeeds in acquiring success, it is acquired forever. There will be no more parting between the one who has gained his object and the spirit world. The greatest danger is that the sixth sense may control the individual instead of being in itself controlled.—New York Herald.

### Warwickshire's Ducking Stools.

Warwickshire boasts the possession of a larger number of ducking stools than any other English county, and two of the oldest have just been brought into public notice. The Warwick town council have carefully repaired the curious instrument of punishment which visitors to the crypt of the famous Beauchamp church there are familiar with.

Kenilworth also possesses a well preserved ducking stool which is said to have been in use as a means of bringing molds to a reasonable frame of mind so long ago as the period when Elizabeth I. left Earl Leicester's castle with her presence, and before the Amy Robsart became in any way associated with the building.—Westminster Gazette.

### Artistic Wood Work

These are few kinds of the aquarium more interesting than that containing the lobsters. The lobsters there now are not great, like some of the monsters that have been exhibited, but they are lively and in good condition, and the display of their characteristics as they move about or pause to eat is almost startling to one unfamiliar with the lobster in life.

Whoever has picked up a live lobster in a market and found the big claws drooping, as they will if the lobster hasn't much life left in him, is sure to be interested when he sees the lobster here walking off briskly on his slender legs, carrying his big claws in front of him clear of the ground and his heavy tail clear likewise. His ordinary manner of progression is forward, and when he turns he swings his heavily weighted projecting ends with facility, but if he meets an obstruction or an enemy his usual way is to dart backward and perhaps diagonally upward through the water, which the lobster can do with great suddenness.

The lobster's feeding apparatus is wonderful. About the mouth there are lots of little attachments, all the time in motion when the lobster is feeding, which slice the food off in little shreds as the lobster holds it up to his mouth. If another lobster should come up, this lobster would know it, even though the other came up behind or at the side, and would turn to defend himself or to fight or flee to or warn the other away.

The lobster's long feelers he can project one in one direction and the other in another, and with these, as he moves forward, back or sideways, he guards against danger.

There are perhaps a dozen lobsters in the tank. In the center of the tank there is a little rock. There is likely to be seen upon this rock a little lobster, not a dull, old lobster lying down, but an alert young lobster standing up and supporting easily his big claws and his powerful tail—a young lobster ready to eat, to fight or to run away.—New York Sun.

### ZULU JINRIKISHA MEN.

Head Decorations That Are as Grotesque as They Are Ingenious.

The Zulu jinrikisha men are compelled by the English authorities to wear a uniform—a white linen tunic and loose white trousers cut off above the knee. They were like children playing at horse in the nursery, and they uttered continuous native gurglings, partly like turtle doves and partly like the hallelujah ejaculations at one of our African Methodist camp meetings. They all appeared very happy during this performance, which continued so long that I calculated the amount of energy expended to represent about ten miles of unpaid travel. Though the body dress was uniform, there was magnificent diversity regarding head decoration. One would wear a common straw hat hung around the brim with tassels suggestive of a pagoda, and the chief delight of the wearer was in shaking his head for the pleasure of making the tassels dance. Another had fastened a pair of cow horns on either side of his head immediately above the ears, and he grinned at me so effusively that I concluded he must have taken great pains with the construction of this hideous headpiece. The kinky top of a third had been interlaced with an enormous profusion of long strings of wool, to which small fluffy balls were attached at short intervals.

The head of a negro so decorated looked like a huge black mop or one of those Skye terrier dogs about whom one is never safe in saying which is the other end. In repose it is uncanny, but when your jinrikisha Zulu springs about in the shafts and throws his head up and down like a colt impatient of the bit the effect upon the newly arrived is akin to what I once experienced when a long black log of wood upon which I proposed to rest myself turned out to be a huge black snake resting from his gastronomic exercises.—Poultney Bigelow in Harper's Magazine.

Off the Malay Coast.

Sailing up the coast in a native craft, you may almost fancy yourself one of the early explorers skirting the lovely shores of some undiscovered country. As you sprawl on the bamboo decking under the shadow of the immense palm leaf sail—which is so ingeniously rigged that, if taken aback, the boat must turn turtle, unless, by the blessing of the gods, the mast parts asunder—you look out through half closed eyelids at a very beautiful coast. The waves dance and glimmer and shine in the sunlight, the long stretch of sand is as yellow as a buttercup, and the fringes of graceful casuarina trees quiver like aspens in the breeze and shimmer in the heat haze. The wash of the waves against the boat's side and the ripple of the bow make music in your drowsy ears, and as you glide through cluster after cluster of thickly wooded islands you lie in that delightful comatose state in which you have all the pleasure of existence, with none of the labor of living.—"In Court and Kampong" by Hugh Clifford.

### Precepts of Experience.

"He," sobbed the verdant bride, "does not love me any more."

"You are lucky," said the seasoned matron, "if he does not love you any less."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

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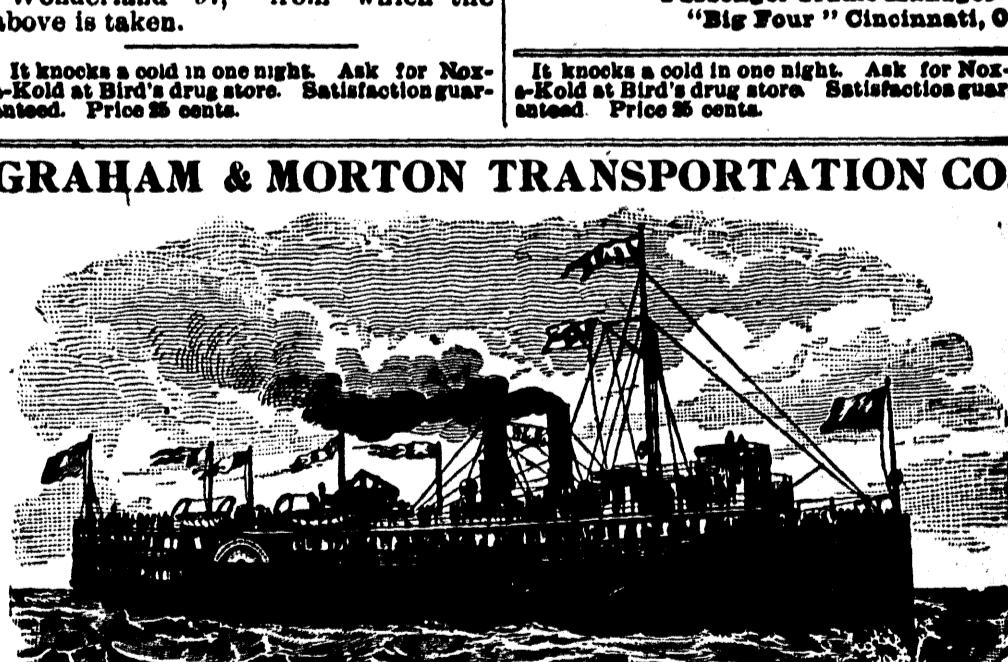
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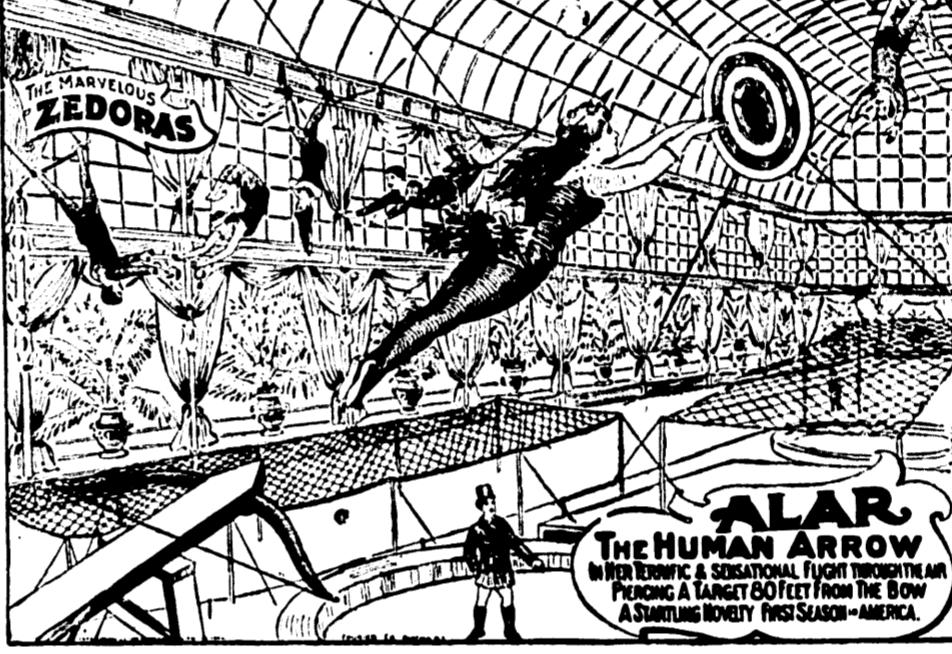
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Regular rehearsals of Dickens' drama "Chimney Corner" for presentation next Thursday night at the Academy of Music, St. Joseph, for the benefit of Messrs. Wesner, Walsh and Mitchell of the Baker Stock company, are being held with very satisfactory results.

The cast includes professional artists, all of whom enjoy an enviable reputation. J. A. Simon, the clever comedian, will appear as Peter Probit, a serio-comic part which furnishes Mr. Simon a rare opportunity to exhibit his talent. Peter Probit's wife is a character assigned Mrs. J. A. Simon.

Some of the best talent in the Baker Stock company will appear in the play and a delightful entertainment is promised. An informal hop will be held after the performance.

This will be the last opportunity Mr. Simon's friends will have to see him on the boards before he leaves on his starring tour.

#### FOR THE KLONDIKE.

#### Plans of Michigan Men to Get There.

Every day Edgar Nichols is receiving letters from men in every direction who want to go with him to the gold fields. Last night he received a letter from a Huntington, Ind., tobacconist who has money and time to put in the enterprise.

About thirty merchants of Bay City are organizing the West Bay City Alaska Mining Co. The company intends to dispose of 25,000 shares, at \$1 each. Four members will be sent to the Klondike region in the spring.

Frank A. Covey of Kalamazoo is said to be at work on a huge airship with which he intends to go to the Klondike regions, carrying, besides provisions, two companions. He expects to start August 10 and to make the first stop at Winnipeg, where additional supplies will be procured. In a week from that time he says he will land in the heart of the gold regions if the wind is favorable, securing such claims as he may find, returning inside of six weeks. Carrier pigeons will be taken along so that the course of the airship on its hunt for gold may be made known to friends. The ship will carry a ton. He thinks that this is the only way to go to the Klondike gold region.

#### ST. JOSEPH.

A. W. Wells went to Chicago last night.

Mrs. Frank Story is the guest of friends in Pentwater.

Mrs. Lewis and Miss Buck, of Chicago, are the guests of friends here.

Mayor Starr is rebuilding his residence, which was partially destroyed by fire last fall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Miller, of Elmira, N. Y., are the guests of John Higman, Jr., and family.

Dancing with excellent music will be provided each evening at Drake & Wallace's bathing pavilion, beginning tonight.

The city council tonight will order the street commissioner to remove all the Bell telephone poles that have been set since the city served notice on the company 10 days ago that it should not obstruct the street with more poles.

#### IN THE CRIMINAL COURT.

Henry Howard committed an assault upon Lewis Eckert Sunday and today paid a fine of \$5 in Justice St. Clair's court.

Harry Koch, this morning pleaded guilty to cuffing a boy in the park last night and was fined \$1 and costs which he paid. Justice St. Clair heard the case.

#### NEWS OF THE STATE.

Kalamazoo celery is losing its reputation. Too many crops are being raised on the same ground the same season and the quality is suffering.

Senator Hanna is on his way to Mackinac in his brother's steam launch.

Dowagiac will celebrate Emancipation day August 4. Rev. D. A. Graham of Indianapolis who spoke in this city last year will be the principal speaker.

The police of Kalamazoo will soon be mounted on wheels.

Probate Court.

Estate of Nathaniel K. Rose, deceased, Howard Rose, of Niles, appointed special administrator of said estate.

Estate of Phillip Russell, deceased, will of deceased proved by Lawrence C. Fyle and admitted to probate and Edward Abraham appointed administrator of said estate.

Estate of John G. Walker, deceased. Will of deceased proved by John Henkel and duly admitted to probate and Catherine Walker, widow of deceased, appointed administratrix with the will annexed of said estate.

Estate of DeGoller King, deceased. In the matter of the claims of Sabrina Asher for service, the court awarded her the sum of \$196.

The Vandals line will sell tickets to Nashville, Tenn., and return at very reasonable rates on account of the Tennessee, National and International Expos.



WALKING COSTUME.

diversity of cut or trimming of revers, placing of pockets and style of buttons affords numerous changes and opportunities for original effects. Still greater variety is given by the vests, plastrons and blouses which are displayed by the open front jackets, and for which ingenuity is exhausted in the devising of novel arrangements.

A picture is given of a walking costume of light sable cloth. The skirt is trimmed around the hips and at the foot by bands of mohair braid of the same shade. The close fitting bodice has a short basque and opens in front over a vest of white cloth with stitched revers. The bodice is adorned by bands of mohair braid simulating a bolero, and the close sleeves are also trimmed with braid. The neck and sleeve frills are of white mousseline de sole. The hat of blue straw is trimmed with plaitings of blue silk and cornflowers.

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#### WE GOT THERE.

#### Biggest Scoop of 1897—Klondike Not In It.

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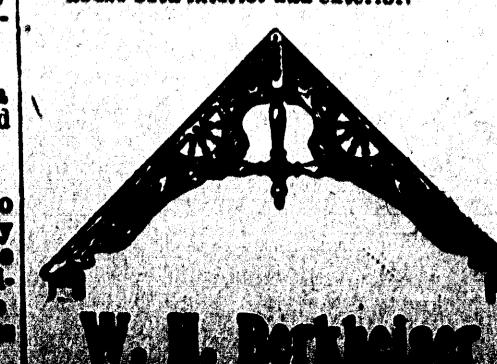
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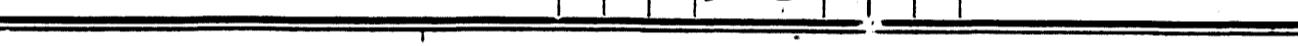
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